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the newest type. Don't  
forget to ask to see  
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The best residence quarter  
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Prices now are \$75 a lot and  
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We have farm Property of every description  
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can be purchased at bedrock prices, but land  
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ward completion.

## OIL LANDS

The best experts endorse the Malheur Oil-  
field which is now being thoroughly prospected  
with big Standard Rigs. We can sell you claims  
now that will be above price when the oil is  
struck. Get in on the ground floor!

## Vale Realty & Investment Co.

Drexel Hotel Building.

VALE OREGON

## Keep Boosting for Ontario.

G. L. KING.

### U. S. Commissioner.

All kinds of land filings and  
final proofs can now be made  
before Gilbert L. King, U. S.  
commissioner. Office in Onta-  
rio National Bank building, Onta-  
rio, Ore.

### Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Burns, Oregon,  
May 13, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that Perr  
Hayden, of Weiser, Idaho, who, on  
February 28, 1908, made desert-land en-  
try No. 520, Serial No. 0191, for 40 acres,  
range 46 east, sec. 13, township 16 south,  
township 16 south, range 47 east, Willa-  
mette Meridian, has filed notice of in-  
tention to make Final Proof, to  
establish claim to the land above de-  
scribed before B. W. Mulkey, county  
clerk of Malheur county, at his office at  
Vale, Oregon, on the 26th day of June,  
1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses:  
Peter L. Keeney, Joe H. Keeney,  
William E. Hayden, John F. Keeney, all  
of Weiser, Idaho.  
May 21 Wm. FARR, Register.

### CITATION TO HEIRS.

In the County Court of the State of  
Oregon, for Malheur County.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph  
A. Maher, Deceased.  
To Edward Maher, and Anna Shea,  
William Maher, Charles Maher, Am-  
brose Maher, Edd Maher, Frank Ma-  
her, Lewis, and Mrs. William  
Maher, the known heirs, and all other  
heirs unknown, if any, of Joseph A.  
Maher, deceased, and to all persons  
unknown or concerned, Greeting.  
By order of the above entitled court,  
each and all of you are hereby cited  
and required to appear before the above  
entitled court in the county court room  
at Vale, Malheur county, Oregon, on  
the 23rd day of July, 1909, at 10 o'clock  
a. m. to show cause, if any you have,  
why Sidney Knight, administrator  
with the Will annexed, of the above  
estate of Joseph A. Maher, deceased, as  
such administrator, shall not be au-  
thorized and directed by an order of  
the county court to sell the real estate  
of said deceased, described as follows:  
The SE 1/4 of Section 17, Township 28  
South, Range 47 E., W. M., and the  
SW 1/4 of Section 17, Township 28 South,  
Range 46 E., W. M.  
This citation is published by order of  
the County Court dated June 15, 1909.  
Witness the Hon. R. C. Richardson,  
judge of the county court of Malheur  
county, Oregon, with seat of said county  
court affixed this 15th day of June, 1909.  
(Seal) B. W. MULKEY, County Clerk.  
By Thos. E. McKnight, Deputy  
W. H. Brooke, Attorney for Adminis-  
trator. jels

### NOTICE.

TO W. O. CREATHBAUM:  
You will take notice that A. R. White  
desires to establish the corners and  
boundaries of the following tract of land  
owned by him, to-wit: The Northwest  
Quarter of Section 21, Township 16  
South, Range 47 E., W. M., in Malheur  
county, Oregon, and has notified the un-  
dersigned, County Surveyor, to make a  
survey of the same and establish the  
corners thereof, and has furnished me  
the names of the following parties who  
will be effected by said survey, viz: W.  
O. Creathbaum, John W. Klinefelter,  
Jesse W. Klinefelter all of whom own  
land in said section 21, township and  
range aforesaid; that it will be neces-  
sary to subdivide said section by run-  
ning lines north and south from quarter  
section corner to quarter section corner  
and east and west from quarter section  
corner to quarter section corner and to  
establish a corner and monument at the  
intersection of these lines, and I will on  
JULY 8, 1909, begin the survey of said  
lines for the purpose above named.  
This notice is served by publication in  
accordance with the provisions of Sec-  
tion 4907 of the Statutes as compiled and  
annotated by Charles B. Bellinger and  
W. W. Cotton.  
Dated this 9th day of June, 1909.  
The date of first publication hereof is  
June 11, 1909. PAUL JONES,  
County Surveyor.

### WARRANT CALL.

Notice is hereby given that I  
have funds on hand to pay all  
warrants indorsed not paid for  
want of funds prior to Nov. 10,  
1906. Interest ceases from this  
date.

Dated at Vale, Oregon, May  
22, 1909. T. W. HALLIDAY,  
County Treasurer.

The Argus will tell you all  
about it.

### SUMMONS AND NOTICE

In the Circuit Court of the State of  
Oregon, for Malheur County.  
In the matter of the application of  
Monte B. Gwinn to register the title  
of the Southwest Quarter of Section  
Five, Township Eighteen South,  
Range Forty-seven E., W. M., in  
Malheur County, Oregon, Applicant,  
vs.  
Mattie Miller, Francis O'Neill and All  
Whom It May Concern, Defendants.  
That on the 11th day of June, 1909,  
an application was filed by said Monte  
B. Gwinn in the Circuit Court of Mal-  
heur county, Oregon, for initial regis-  
tration of the title of the land in the  
title hereto above described.

Now, unless you appear on or before  
the 31st day of July, 1909, and show  
cause why such application shall not  
be granted, the same shall be taken as  
confessed, and a decree will be entered  
according to the prayer of the applica-  
tion, and you will be forever barred  
from disputing the same.

To Mattie Miller, Francis O'Neill and  
All Whom It May Concern, the above-  
named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon,  
you are hereby required to appear and  
answer the application filed herein on  
the 11th day of June, 1909, on or before  
the 31st day of July, 1909; and if you  
fail so to answer for want thereof, the  
application will be taken as confessed  
and a decree will be entered according  
to the prayer of the application finding  
and declaring the title or interest of  
the applicant above named, in the  
above described land and decreeing the  
same and ordering the Registrar of  
Titles to register the same, and further  
finding and decreeing that said defend-  
ants have no estate, right, title, in-  
terest, claim or lien barring and en-  
joining the defendants from disputing  
the same and from all right, title, in-  
terest and claim therein or thereto.

Dated, this 11th day of June, 1909.  
(Seal) B. W. MULKEY, County Clerk.  
By Thos. E. McKnight, Deputy  
W. H. Brooke, Attorney for Applicant.

### Notice of Appropriation of Water.

Notice of appropriation of water by  
the United States, dated Portland, Ore-  
gon, March 18, 1909, and filed in the  
office of the State Engineer, March 20,  
1909, at 8 o'clock a. m.  
In pursuance of the authority con-  
ferred upon me by the Secretary of the  
Interior under the provisions of the  
Act of Congress, June 17, 1902, and in  
accordance with the laws of the State of  
Oregon, I hereby notify you that it is  
the intention to use all of the surplus wa-  
ters and unappropriated waters of Malheur  
River and its tributaries in connection  
with the reclamation of certain arid  
lands, as provided under said Act of  
Congress, and request that such waters  
be withdrawn from further appropria-  
tion, as provided by section 2 of chapter  
238, session laws of 1905.  
Very respectfully,  
Jas 25 jyl6 E. G. HOBSON,  
Supervising Engineer.

### Notice of Appropriation of Water.

Notice of appropriation of water by  
the United States, dated Boise, Idaho,  
March 23, 1909, and filed in the office  
of the State Engineer, March 25, 1909,  
at 2 o'clock p. m.  
In pursuance of authority conferred  
upon me by the Secretary of the Inter-  
ior under the provisions of the Act of  
Congress approved June 17, 1902, and  
in accordance with the laws of the  
State of Oregon, I hereby notify you  
that it is the intention to use all of the  
surplus and unappropriated waters of  
Owyhee River and its tributaries in  
connection with the reclamation of  
certain lands, as provided under said  
Act of Congress, and request that such  
waters be withdrawn from further ap-  
propriation, as provided by section 2 of  
chapter 238, session laws of 1905.  
Very respectfully,  
E. E. WYCKOFF,  
Supervising Engineer.

### EXCURSIONS EAST

via Oregon Short Line.

To Denver, Omaha, Kansas  
City, Chicago, St. Louis and  
other points, June 4, 5, 11, 12,  
16 and 20th. See agents for  
later dates, rates and further  
particulars.

### EXCURSIONS TO DENTON.

via Oregon Short Line Railroad.

July 2d and 3d, for National  
Educational Association, limit  
Oct. 31st. Rates apply from  
Utah points only. Ask agents  
for rates and further particu-  
lars.

### FOURTH OF JULY RATES.

via Oregon Short Line Railroad.

Tickets on sale July 2, 3, 4  
and 5, limited to July 6. See  
agents for rates and further par-  
ticulars.

### Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on  
Monday, the 28th day of June,  
1909, at the city council cham-  
bers, in the City of Ontario,  
Malheur county, state of Oregon,  
a special election will be held  
for the purpose of submitting to  
the qualified electors of the said  
City of Ontario, Oregon, the  
question of the issuance and sale  
of Municipal Coupon Bonds of  
the said City of Ontario, Ore-  
gon, in denominations of Five  
Hundred Dollars each, payable  
in Twenty (20) years from date  
of issuance, redeemable at the  
pleasure of the said City of On-  
tario, Oregon, at any time after  
the expiration of Ten (10) years  
from the date of issuance, bear-  
ing interest at not to exceed  
Five (5) per cent per annum,  
payable semi-annually and shall  
not be sold for less than par  
value, nor otherwise than for  
cash, said bonds not to exceed  
\$22,000.00; said bonds to be is-  
sued and sold to constitute a  
fund to be expended for the fol-  
lowing purposes, to-wit: To the  
extent of \$8000.00 for the pur-  
pose of taking up the outstand-  
ing warrants of the City of On-  
tario, Oregon; to the extent of  
\$4000.00 to provide revenue un-  
til taxpaying time in 1910; and  
to the extent of \$10,000.00 for  
the purpose of aiding in the  
construction of a bridge across  
Snake River near the City of  
Ontario, Oregon, which election  
will be held at 9 o'clock in the  
morning, and will continue un-  
til 5 o'clock in the afternoon of  
said day.

Dated at Ontario, Oregon, this  
9th day of June, 1909.  
H. W. CLEMENT,  
City Recorder of the City of  
Ontario, Oregon.

### Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue  
of an execution and order of sale duly  
issued out of the circuit court of the  
State of Oregon, for Malheur county,  
and to me directed on the 19th day of  
June, 1909, upon a judgment and de-  
creted rendered, entered of record and  
docketed in and by said court on the  
6th day of November, 1908, in a cer-  
tain suit then in said court pending,  
wherein First Bank of Vale, a corpora-  
tion, was plaintiff, and Alfred McManus  
and Mary McManus, his wife, by which  
execution I am commanded to sell the real  
property in said execution and herein  
described to pay the sum due the de-  
fendant, Sophia N. Shimp, of \$736.33,  
with interest at the rate of 10 per cent  
per annum from November 6, 1908, to-  
gether with the sum of \$5.00 costs, and  
the further sum of \$25.00 attorney's fees,  
and sums due the plaintiff of \$200.00  
with interest at the rate of 10 per cent  
per annum from February 18, 1907, to-  
gether with the sum of \$22.70 costs and  
disbursements, and the further sum of  
\$50.00, attorney's fees, and the costs and  
expenses of said execution; I will, on  
Saturday, the 21st day of July, 1909, at  
the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. on said day,  
at the door of the court house in Vale,  
Malheur county, Oregon, sell at public  
auction to the highest bidder for cash in  
hand on the day of sale, all the right,  
title, interest, and estate which said de-  
fendants, Alfred McManus and Mary  
McManus, and all persons claiming un-  
der them subsequent to the date of the  
mortgage of the defendant, Sophia N.  
Shimp, foreclosed therein, to-wit: July  
16, 1905, of, in and to said mortgaged  
premises herein before mentioned and  
which are described in said execution as  
follows: Lots 19 and 20 in Block 255 in  
the City of Ontario, Malheur county,  
Oregon, together with all and singular  
the tenements, hereditaments and ap-  
purtenances thereunto belonging or in  
anywise appertaining. The said mort-  
gage of the First Bank of Vale, plaintiff  
in said suit, for the sum of \$200.00 and  
dated February 18, 1907 being a second  
mortgage and foreclosed in said suit and  
said described real property being ordered  
sold to satisfy the same as hereinbefore  
mentioned.  
Said sale being made subject to re-  
demption in the manner provided by  
law.  
Dated this 21st day of June, 1909.  
ROBERT ODELL,  
Sheriff of Malheur County, Oregon.

And the Argus gives the news

## The Conservative Banker

It making loans must know to a cer-  
tainty that his applicants or sureties are  
responsible and worthy of credit.

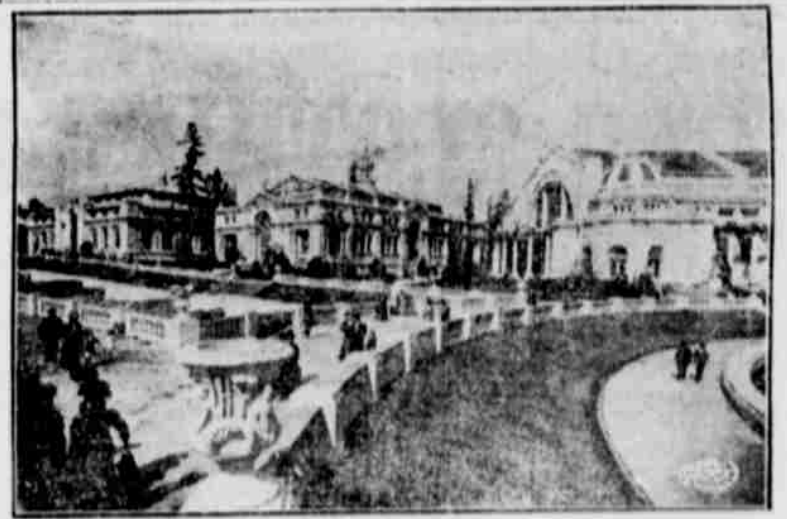
Likewise, the prudent depositor  
should know the character and the stand-  
ing of the bank with which he deals.

The business reputation of our di-  
rectors and the experience and ability of  
our officers with a record of years of suc-  
cessful business, is sufficient guarantee  
that the interest of every depositor will be  
carefully protected.

## First National Bank

ONTARIO, OREGON.

### STATE DEPOSITORY.



PANTRIES AND POSIES EVERYWHERE AT A-Y-E-P. EXPOSITION.

In the foreground of the picture is shown the bank which slopes up  
from Geyser Basin at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, Seattle. Upon  
it have been planted 200,000 tufted pansy plants, and close up to the  
balustrades high-growing plants of bright bloom.

Above Geyser Basin can be seen the banks of the Cascades, and around  
these are growing 100,000 rose bushes, so selected that there will be a  
rotation of blooms throughout the Exposition.



LOOKING DOWN YUKON AVENUE.

One of the most traveled highways of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Ex-  
position will be the street to which has been given the name of Yukon  
Avenue. Yukon Avenue makes its way across the exposition grounds  
from west to east, and the ends are represented by Klondike Circle near  
the entrance, and Nome Circle on which fronts the classic Forestry build-  
ing. It crosses the roaring Cascades on ornamental bridges of handsome  
design, and from its central part the buildings of Hawaii and Alaska,  
backed by the enormous federal structure, are directly to the north.

Just to the west of Klondike Circle the Pay Street winds in a general  
direction from north to south, and at the eastern end the land gives  
way precipitously to the shores of Lake Washington. It is on this beau-  
tiful shore of the lake the natural amphitheatre is located, and nature has  
so quaintly formed this delightful spot, that small effort has been re-  
quired of man to transform it into a perfect exhibition place as is  
possible. Its curving, sloping sides complete a semi-circle, and from its  
tiers of towering seats 30,000 spectators may witness the entertainments  
with no possibilities of occupying a single undesirable seat.

A wonderful variety of architectural display is shown by the many  
buildings through which Yukon Avenue passes, and during its course the  
visitor passes from man-made monuments through parts of magnificent  
forests whose grandeur has never been marred by the destructive craft  
of Mammoth's disciples. From every side the line of horizon is defined  
by mountains whose lines are delineated in perpetual snow, and stretch-  
ing away as far as the eye can travel rest the waters of Puget Sound.